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RESPONSE TO ELECTION REQUIREMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement set forth in the Office Action mailed September 29, 2006, Applicant hereby provisionally elects Group I (claims 1-16) for continued examination, without prejudice or disclaimer. Please note that Applicants believe that group I should include claim 16 in addition to claims 1-15.

The Examiner is invited to call the undersigned at (443) 421-3332 to discuss steps necessary for placing the application in condition for allowance.

A petition is hereby made under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 for a one month extension of time, and the \$60 (small entity) fee is paid by the attached credit card payment form..

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: November 28, 2006

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